COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF)
SOUTHEAST JEFFERSON/ SOUTHWEST) CASE NO. 97-430
SHELBY WATER DISTRICT)

<u>ORDER</u>

This matter arising upon the motion of the Louisville Water Company ("Louisville Water"), filed December 24, 1997, for full intervention. Subsequent to the motion for full intervention the Applicants, on January 5, 1998, filed their opposition to full intervention by the Louisville Water. On January 8, 1998, the Louisville Water filed its response to the Applicant's opposition to motion for full intervention.

The Commission has reviewed the motion for intervention, the opposition to full intervention, and the response to Applicant's opposition for full intervention, it appears to the Commission that the Louisville Water has a special interest which is not otherwise adequately represented, and that such intervention is likely to present issues and develop facts that will assist the Commission in fully considering the matter without unduly complicating or disrupting the proceedings, and this Commission being otherwise sufficiently advised,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. The opposition to full intervention by the Applicants is hereby denied.
- 2. The motion of Louisville Water to intervene is granted.

3. Louisville Water shall be entitled to the full rights of a party and shall be served with the Commission's Orders and with filed testimony, exhibits, pleadings, correspondence, and all other documents submitted by parties after the date of this Order

4. Should Louisville Water file documents of any kind with the Commission in the course of these proceedings, it shall also serve a copy of said documents on all other parties of record.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 9th day of January, 1998.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

For the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director